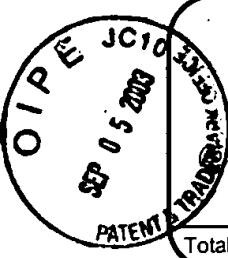


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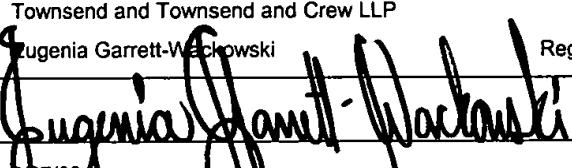
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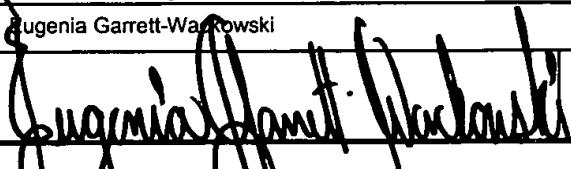
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1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month
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